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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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For: **Device Control System, Method, and Apparatus**
Inventors: Paul KRZYZANOWSKI *et al.*
Our Ref: 2100.0070001

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111;
2. Submission of Drawings;
3. Four (4) sheets of Replacement drawings: Figs. 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9; and
4. One (1) return postcard.

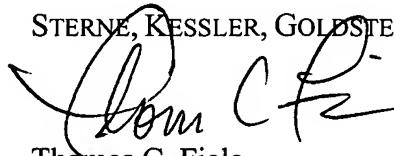
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In reply to the Office Action dated May 25, 2005, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

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